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**UTILITY  
PATENT APPLICATION  
TRANSMITTAL**

**Attorney Docket:** 2000-2344

**First Inventor:** Gregory R. Ziegler

## Title: Coating Foods and Pharmaceuticals with an Edible Polymer Using Carbon Dioxide

08/30/01  
97-1794-  
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S-109

## **APPLICATION ELEMENTS**

- Fee Transmittal Form

2.  Applicant claims small entity status (37 CFR 1.27)

3.  Specification Total Pages 18

Title page	01 page
Specification	11 pages
Claims (1-32)	05 pages
Abstract	01 page

4.  Drawings (Figures 1-2) Total Sheets 2

5.  Oath or Declaration Total Sheets 2

  - a.  Newly executed (original or copy)
  - b.  Copy from prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
    - i.  DELETION OF INVENTORS  
Signed Statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b))

6.  Application Data Sheet

7.  CD-Rom or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (*Appendix*)

8.  Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (*if applicable, all necessary*)
  - a.  Computer Readable Form (CFR)
  - b. Specification Sequence Listing on:
    - i.  CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or ii.  paper
  - c.  Statements verifying identify of above copies

## **ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS**

- Assignment Papers (cover sheet & documents)
  - 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement     Power of Attorney
  - English Translation Document (*if applicable*)
  - Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449
    - Copies of IDS citations
  - Preliminary Amendment
  - Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
  - Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)  
*(if foreign priority is claimed)*
  - Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122  
(b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form  
PTO/SB/3 or its equivalent
  - Other  
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  - Other  
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  - Other  
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18. If a continuing application, check appropriate box, and supply requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment:

Continuation    Divisional.    Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application serial no.

Prior application information: Examiner \_\_\_\_\_ Group Art Unit : \_\_\_\_\_  
For CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.

## 19. CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS

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**SIGNATURE:**

  
Peter A. Borsari, Registration Number: 32,114

Date: August 30, 2001

# FEE CALCULATION & TRANSMITTAL SHEET

**TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT:** \$ 543.00

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## METHOD OF PAYMENT

- Payment Enclosed:  Check # 4220
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 and credit any overpayments to:

Deposit Account Number: 54-1014  
Deposit Account Name: Borsari & Associates

## FEE CALCULATION (continued)

### 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

- | Fee Description   | Fee Paid |
|---|----------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Surcharge - late filing fee or oath                    | _____    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet | _____    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Non-English specification                              | _____    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination | _____    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action | _____    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Extension for reply within first month                 | _____    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Extension for reply within second month                | _____    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Extension for reply within third month                 | _____    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Extension for reply within fourth month                | _____    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Appeal                                       | _____    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Filing a brief in support of an appeal                 | _____    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Request for oral hearing                               | _____    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Petition to Revive - unavoidable                       | _____    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Petition to Revive - unintentional                     | _____    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Petitions to Commissioner                              | _____    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17q                      | _____    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt              | _____    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Assignment Recordation Fee                             | _____    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Request for Continued Examination                      | _____    |

## FEE CALCULATION

### 1. BASIC FILING FEE

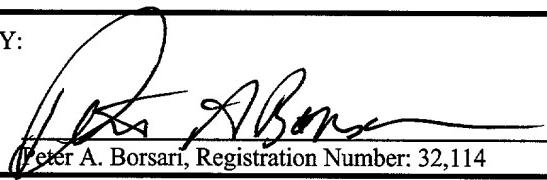
<u>Fee Description</u>	<u>Fee Paid</u>
Utility filing fee	\$355.00
Design filing fee	
Plant filing fee	
Reissue filing fee	
Provisional filing fee	
<b>SUBTOTAL (1)</b>	<b>\$355.00</b>

### 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Extra Claims	Fee	Fee Paid
Total Claims <u>32</u> - 20 = <u>12</u>	<u>x \$ 9.00</u>	= \$ 108.00
Independent <u>05</u> - 03 = <u>02</u>	<u>x \$40.00</u>	= \$ 80.00
Claims		
<b>SUBTOTAL (2)</b>	<b>\$ 188.00</b>	

SUBMITTED BY:

SIGNATURE:



Peter A. Borsari, Registration Number: 32,114

Date: August 30, 2001